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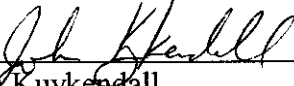
Attn: Patrick Forster, Senior Engineer - Policy Division, Wireless Telecommunications Bureau

Re: TMP Jacksonville, LLC
First Quarter 2003 TTY Status Report -- CC Docket No. 94-102

Dear Ms. Dortch:

TMP Jacksonville, LLC hereby submits its quarterly TTY status report for the first quarter, 2003, pursuant to the Commission's directive in the *Fourth Report and Order* (released December 14, 2000) and Order (released June 28, 2002)¹ in this docket.

Please contact the undersigned with any questions or concerns.

By: 
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Attachment

¹ *In the Matter of Revision of the Commission's Rules to Ensure Compatibility with Enhanced 911 Emergency Calling Systems*, Order, CC Docket 94-102, para. 24 (rel. June 28, 2002) (Commission requiring that quarter reports continue for carriers seeking additional time).

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TMP JACKSONVILLE, LLC
TTY STATUS REPORT
APRIL 15,2003

TMP Jacksonville, LLC ("TMP Jacksonville") filed a Petition for Waiver of the TTY requirements on June 4, 2002 ("Petition"). The Petition addressed the status of TMP Jacksonville's efforts to comply with the TTY requirements and was granted by the Commission on June 28,2002 (DA 02-1540). As a result of the Commission's grant of the Petition, TMP Jacksonville received an extension of time until June 30,2003, in which to comply with the TTY requirements.'

In its Petition, TMP Jacksonville reported, as part of the basis for its request, that its PCS vendor, Aimet, currently did not have a technical solution generally available and that the vendor anticipated having a solution generally available by the fourth quarter 2002. TMP Jacksonville understands that as of the filing of this report, however, Aimet has yet to receive an order for the software it intends to use for its TTY compliance, thus the software has yet to be tested. As previously reported, Airnet has informed TMP Jacksonville that it seemed like "the price to value is just not there for the small to medium service providers."

TMP Jacksonville has been informed by Aimet that the vendor is considering discounting its pricing for users. The vendor anticipates announcing its new pricing program at a meeting for users at the end of April. The cost for TMP Jacksonville to implement the software once it becomes generally available remains above \$190,000. No other developments have occurred. Accordingly, TMP Jacksonville remains unable to comply with the TTY requirements at this time.

Respectfully Submitted,



Walter M. Rowland
President

¹ In its decision granting the Petition, the Commission cites TMP Jacksonville's request for a one-year extension, *i.e.*, until June 30,2003, to implement the TTY solution in its digital network and concludes that the extension is "well-supported by the evidence and [is] reasonable in scope and duration." *Revision of the Commission's Rules to Ensure Compatibility with Enhanced 911 Emergency Calling Systems*, CC Docket No. 94-102, Order, DA 02-1540 (rel. June 28,2002) at paras. 6 & 17. The Appendix to the decision and TMP Jacksonville's October 15,2002 report citing the Appendix, however, erroneously state that the extension is granted only through January 31,2003. *See id.* app. A; *TMP Jacksonville, LLC TTY Status Report* (October 15,2002). Commission staff has confirmed that the June 30,2003 date is the correct extension deadline.